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MEETING OF ARMY COMMANDERS
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a meeting of the Commanders of Indian Armed Forces was held in New Delhi recently;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the terms of reference of the said meeting;

(d) whether the Government has adopted the reference of the meeting for implementation; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (e): Annual Combined Conference of the Commanders of the three Services is a regular phenomenan. The last Annual Combined Commanders Conference was held in New Delhi on 24th October, 2007. The inaugural session of the Conference was attended by the Prime Minister and Raksha Mantri among others. In this Conference, various issues related to defence and security as also important matters related to the Services are discussed. Issues raised in the Conference are looked into by the Services and wherever required, by MoD.